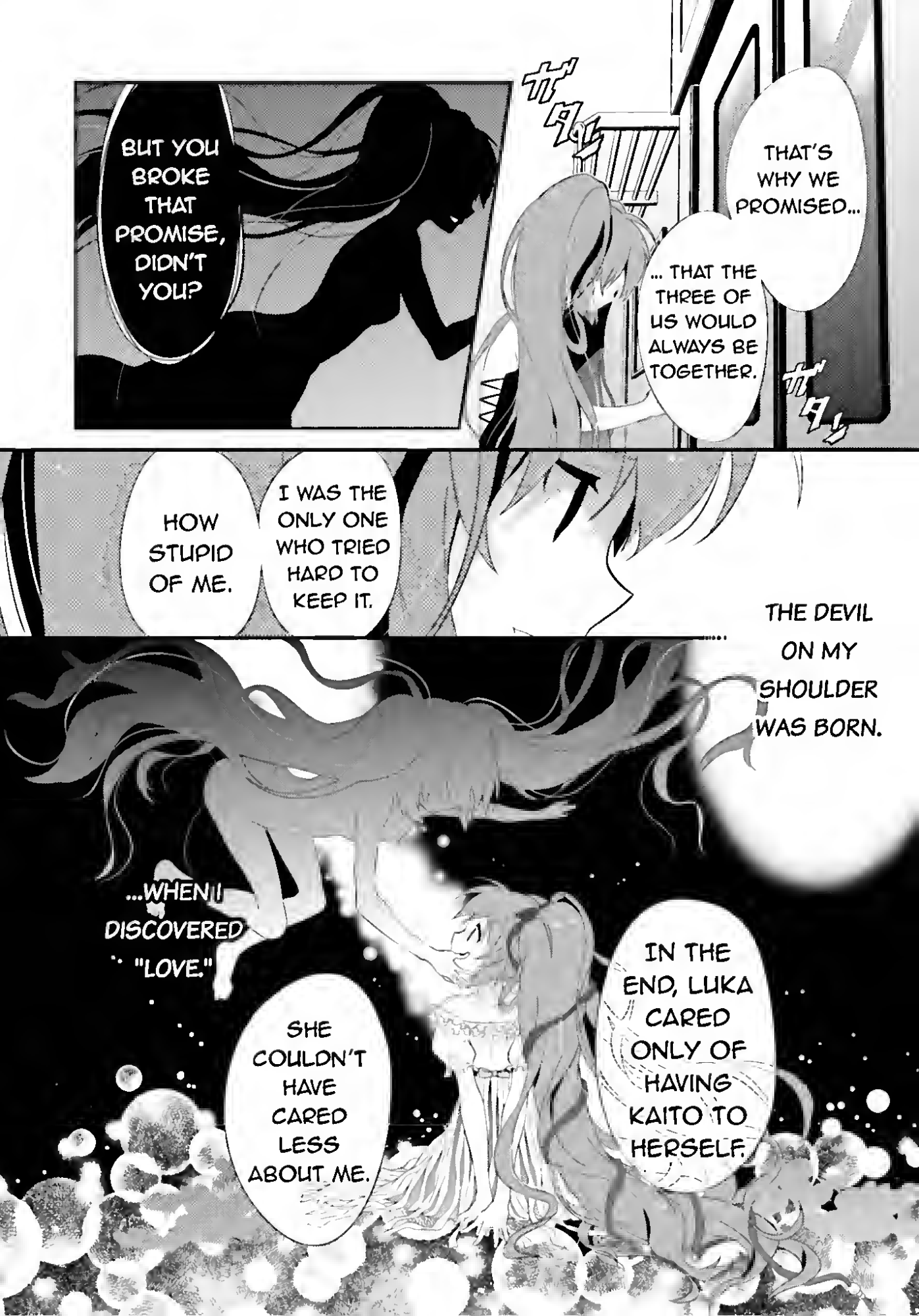
KAITO!
LUKA!
...LOVINGLY, WITH ONLY LIGHT IN MY EYES?
... I CALLED THEM BY THOSE NAMES...
WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME...
ACUTE
WE WERE ALWAYS IN LOVE WITH KAITO.
I MEAN...


BUT YOU BROKE THAT PROMISE, DIDN'T YOU?
THAT'S WHY WE PROMISED...
... THAT THE THREE OF US WOULD ALWAYS BE TOGETHER.
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HOW STUPID OF ME.
I WAS THE ONLY ONE WHO TRIED HARD TO KEEP IT.
THE DEVIL ON MY SHOULDER WAS BORN.
...WHEN I DISCOVERED "LOVE."
SHE COULDN'T HAVE CARED LESS ABOUT ME.
IN THE END, LUKA CARED ONLY OF HAVING KAITO TO HERSELF.

I CAN'T CONTAIN THIS HEART THAT'S BEEN TARNISHED BLACK.
THAT'S RIGHT.
NO ROOM FOR FORGIVE-NESS.
WILL THEY LEAVE ME BEHIND
AND GO ON TO BE HAPPY WITH ONE ANOTHER?
WHICH IS WHY I HATE THEM ALL THE MORE.
EVEN THOUGH I WAS THE ONE KAITO REALLY LOVED.
THEY'RE BOTH IMPORTANT TO ME.

THIS ISN'T HOW IT'S SUPPOSED TO BE...
THE GEARS OF FATE HAVE BEEN PUT INTO MOTION.
I DON'T CARE.
NOTHING MATTERS ANYMORE.

ACUTE

ACT 4

[ACUTENESS OF LOVE]

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WAIT
KAITO.
I KNEW...
... THAT YOU WERE ALWAYS IN LOVE WITH MIKU.
BUT EVEN THEN, I COULDN'T STOP MYSELF...
I WAS TOO SCARED OF LIVING IN A WORLD WITHOUT YOU.

BUT AS MUCH AS I FELT BAD ABOUT MIKU,
A PART OF ME WAS STILL BEYOND HAPPY TO HAVE A SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP WITH YOU.
BELIEVE ME, I NEVER WANTED TO MAKE MIKU UNHAPPY.
OF COURSE NOT.
AND IT'S NOT THAT MIKU DOESN'T UNDER-STAND.
SHE JUST HASN'T FINISHED SORTING OUT HER FEELINGS YET AND IS CONFUSED.
I'M SURE SHE'LL COME AROUND IN TIME. WE JUST HAVE TO BE PATIENT AND WAIT.
...
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LIKE SHE'S MIKU AND YET NOT MIKU...
I CAN'T HELP BUT FEEL THAT MIKU IS DIFFERENT NOW.
... DO YOU REALLY THINK SO?
IT'S MY FAULT THAT MIKU'S BECOME THE WAY SHE IS NOW.
BUT NO MATTER HOW MUCH SHE CHANGES, I CAN'T JUST ABANDON HER.
IT'S MY RESPONSIBILITY TO BRING HER BACK TO THE WAY SHE WAS.
YEAH

WE NEED TO DO WHAT WE CAN TO BRING MIKU BACK.
BACK TO THE MIKU WE KNOW.
BUT UNDERSTAND THAT THIS ISN'T JUST YOUR RESPONSIBILITY.
WE HAVE TO PROTECT MIKU TOGETHER.
OKAY, LUKA?
...YEAH.

YOU'RE TERRIBLE, LUKA.
YOU KNOW THAT KAITO BELONGS TO ME.

HOW MANY TIMES DO I HAVE TO TELL YOU BEFORE IT FINALLY SINKS IN?
STEALING SOMEONE'S FIANCE...
... WILL ONLY MAKE EVERYONE HATE YOU.
OH, I LOVE YOU THOUGH, LUKA. I COULD NEVER HATE YOU...
I THINK IT'S ABOUT TIME I TOOK MATTERS INTO MY OWN HANDS.
BUT...

THIS IS ALL MY FAULT!
IF YOU'RE GOING TO HATE ANYONE OR LASH OUT, LET IT BE ME!
MIKU...
MIKU THIS ISN'T RIGHT!
OPEN YOUR EYES!
I KNEW THAT IT WAS WRONG OF ME TO CHOOSE BETWEEN YOU.
I'M SORRY, MIKU...
I NEVER INTENDED TO NEGLECT YOU.
BUT STILL, I NEEDED LUKA.
...
...
HEH

AHAHAHAHA
THE BOTH OF YOU REALLY HAVE GONE CRAZY, HAVEN'T YOU?
EVEN THOUGH I'VE TRIED SO HARD TO PUT YOU ON THE RIGHT TRACK.
IF YOU WON'T LISTEN TO WHAT I TELL YOU, I'LL JUST HAVE TO SHOW YOU SOME OTHER WAY.
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BUT THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT, LUKA.
THIS IS YOUR PUNISHMENT FOR BETRAYING ME.
MIKU,
I'M SORRY.
KAITO
WE'RE GONNA BE TOGETHER FOREVER!

MOM...
... I'M SORRY KAITO.
DAD...?
DAD'S COMPANY WENT BYE BYE...
THIS IS ALL I COULD THINK TO DO...

SHARP PAIN, DIGGING IN...
THE BLADE, WET WITH BLOOD...
MY DAD'S HANDS WERE SHAKING LIKE MIKU'S ARE NOW.
HOW...

HOW COULD I HAVE FORGOTTEN?
KAITO
I'LL BE WITH YOU SOON, OKAY?
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JUST AS I LOST CONSCIOUSNESS, I HEARD MY DAD'S LAST WORDS...
KAITO

I
LOVE
YOU.

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KAITO!!

KAITO!!
HE-HEH
KAITO! HOLD ON!!
AHAHAHAHAHA
THIS MEANS KAITO IS NOW MINE.

MI...
KU...
NOW...
KAITO AND I CAN BE TOGETHER FOREVER.

I'LL STEAL EVERYTHING AWAY FROM YOU...
HIM... OUR MEMORIES... EVERYTHING...

"LUKA"

MIKU!
DON'T DIE!!
NO!
KAITO!
LIVE, MIKU!!
PLEASE...
GOD...

IT'S SO...

...DARK

AHH, I'M...
... ALL ALONE.
BECAUSE I KILLED THE TWO
I TRUSTED MOST.

I KNEW
THE TRUTH.

I HAD NO RIGHT
TO BLAME YOU FOR
BETRAYING ME.

NOT WHEN I
KNEW HOW YOU
FELT BUT MADE
YOU STIFLE
YOUR FEELINGS
FOR ME ANYWAY.

I HAD LOVING PARENTS AND LOVING FRIENDS IN LUKA AND KAITO.
MY WORLD WAS ALWAYS FULL OF LIGHT.
I DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING... I THOUGHT MY WORLD WOULD ALWAYS BE BRIGHT FOR AS LONG AS I LIVED.

I WAS THE ONLY TRAITOR HERE.

CLINGING
MISERABLY
TO THAT
PROMISE...
I WAS THE FIRST
TO BETRAY
ANYONE.
TO IGNORE
THE
FEELINGS
OF
THOSE
I LOVED
MOST.

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I CAN'T BREATHE.
IT WAS ALL MY FAULT.
AND NOW I'M GOING TO DIE.
I DON'T WANT TO...
BEING IN PAIN...
...AND BEING ALONE...
...SCARES ME...

LUKA...
I'M COLD...
I DON'T WANT TO BE ALONE.
I'M SCARED...
ARE YOU OKAY?
...KU
MIKU!

I'LL BE HERE UNTIL YOUR MOM COMES BACK, SO THERE'S NOTHING TO BE SCARED OF.
DON'T CRY.
LUKA...
SHE'LL BE BACK SOON WITH MEDICINE, SO BE STRONG, OKAY?
YOU'RE REALLY JUST LIKE MY BIG SISTER, LUKA...
I LOVE YOU.
OKAY, I'LL BE STRONG...

I REALLY THINK OF YOU LIKE A LITTLE SISTER.

I'LL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU.

ALWAYS.

I PROMISE.

LUKA
MIKU
.....!

...
...
DO YOU RECOG-NIZE ME?
MIKU!
SO WARM.
...
NNGH...
LU...
KA...
MIKU...
...
...

I'M SORRY.
I'M SO SORRY.
KAITO AND I WILL GO BACK TO BEING FRIENDS AGAIN.
IF YOU HATE IT SO MUCH, WE'LL STOP.
I SAID YOU WERE IMPORTANT TO ME, BUT STILL...
I WAS THE ONE WHO DROVE YOU TO ALL THIS.
SO...

"I LOVE YOU."
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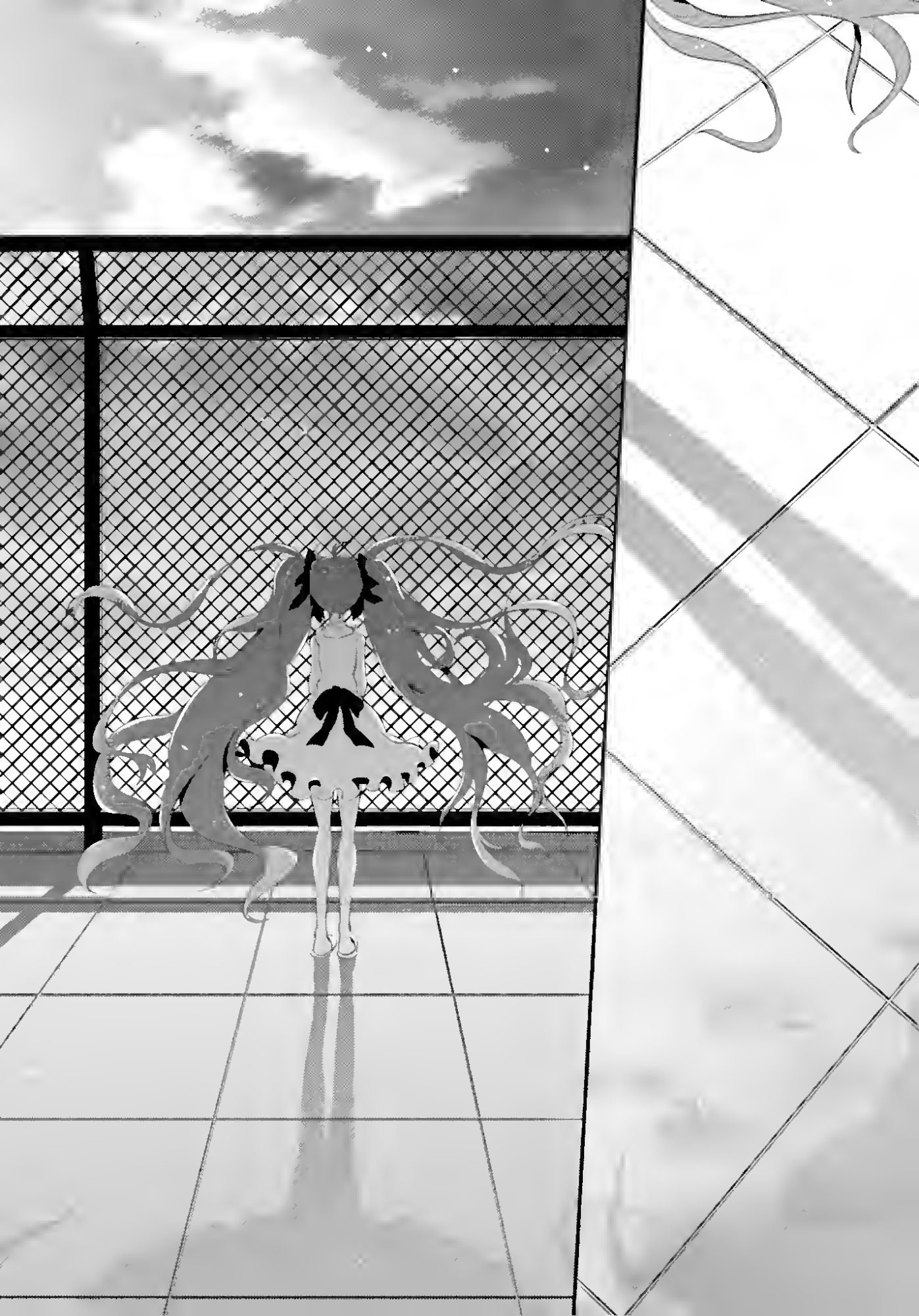
...!

EVEN...
THOUGH... I...
BOTH KAITO AND YOU...
WH... WHY...?
DON'T BE STUPID!

IT DOESN'T MATTER WHO YOU BECOME!
WE LOVE YOU BECAUSE YOU'RE YOU, MIKU!
NO MATTER WHAT YOU MIGHT THINK OF US!

I'M SORRY...

PLEASE...
BE HAPPY TOGETHER.



THANK YOU FOR READING!
WE HOPE YOU'LL ENJOY OUR NEXT PROJECT!
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